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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to 06 March 2008.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1,3 and 7-30.
3. ☒ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☒ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
 1. ☒ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
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5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
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DETAILED ACTION

Response to Arguments

1. This communication is responsive to the communication filed on 03/24/2008.
2. **Claims 1,3,7-10** has been amended claims 2 and 4-6 were canceled claims 11-30 were added.

Allowable Subject Matter

3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: Park et al. (US Patent 6,735,723) discloses having a having a interleaving/deinterleaving used in a channel encoding system where the source data being transmitted in fig. 1...the interleaving comprised of bits sequence that is indexed which are inputted into frames ("burst") which are expressed 0,1,2,...,N-1 (column 8 line 1-9)...a change within the bit sequence using the index (column 8 line 11-67). Hatakeyama (US Patent 6,452,985) discloses having receiver 105 comprised of a de-interleaving the demodulated data from the 384 symbols comprising the data transfer rate transfer 9600 bps(transmission burst", column 9 line 1-15). A modified receiver as taught by Hatakeyama indexing data ("information bits") by addresses before transmission as taught by Nara (US Patent 6,009,544). In addition, Abe (US Patent 6,272,123) discloses having a CDMA transmitter-receiver comprised of a interleaver 14 which carries out the interleaving to reduce the effect of burst errors (column 4 line 25-35). A modified CDMA transmitter-receiver as taught by Abe implementing indexed bit sequences as taught by Park (US

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Patent 6,735,723). The prior art fails to anticipate or render obvious the following recited features: Claims 1 limitations : determining if modification of the values of the indexes is required by determining if $K/2 \bmod D = 0$, wherein K is the size of the data block given in bits, and D is the interleaving depth given as the number of bursts,

By means of a shift term $s = \text{int}[k/(K/2)]$, wherein k is the value of the index of the information bit.

Claim 8 limitations: determining if $K/2 \bmod D = 0$, wherein K is the size of the data block given in bits, and D is the interleaving depth given as the number of bursts,

if $K/2 \bmod D = 0$, de-interleaving the information bits based on modified values of the indexes, said modification of the index- being based on a shift term $s = \text{int}[k/(K/2)]$, wherein k is the value of the index of the information bit.

Claim 9 limitations: to determine if modification of the values of the indexes is required by determining if $K/2 \bmod D = 0$, wherein K is the size of the data block given in bits, and D is the interleaving depth given as the number of bursts, and to compute positions of the information bits in the transmission bursts such that the values of the indexes of at least a portion of the information bits are modified of a shift term $s = \text{int}[k/(K/2)]$, wherein k is the value of the index of the information bit.

Claim 10 limitations: determine if the value of any of the indexes has been modified before transmission of the transmission bursts by determining if $K/2 \bmod D = 0$, wherein

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K is the size of the data block given in bits, and D is the interleaving depth given as the number of bursts, and in response to determination that $K/2 \bmod D = 0$ to deinterleave the information bits based on modified values of the indexes, said modification of the indexes being based on a shift term $s = \text{int}[k/(K/2)]$, wherein k is the value of the index of the information bit.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Prior Art

The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

Kukla et al. (US Patent 7,091,889) discloses having a speed and memory optimized interleaving.

Bliss et al. (US Patent 6,774,825) discloses having a modulation coding based on a ECC interleave structure.

Ralkb et al. (EP 0987850) discloses having two dimensional interleaving for cdma.

Mantel et al. (US Patent 5,602,875) discloses having a method and apparatus for encoding and decoding information in a digital communication system.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to DeWanda Samuel whose telephone number is (571) 270-1213. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday- Thursday 8:30-5:30 EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ricky Q. Ngo can be reached on (571) 272-3139. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.


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